U.S. EMBASSY - IMMIGRANT VISA UNIT

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INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS SCHEDULED FOR AN IMMIGRANT VISA INTERVIEW BY THE NATIONAL VISA CENTER OR KENTUCKY CONSULAR CENTER

As of September 13, 2012, the U.S. Embassy in Bucharest has changed procedures for all immigrant visa applicants to the U.S.

Prior to your appointment date, you must visit the website http://www.UStraveldocs.com or call the Visa Information and Appointment Service at +40 31 7800 260 from 8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. to determine the location you will pick up your visa. Please note, if you are calling from within the U.S., you may also dial (703) 988 7105 from 7:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. EST.

All visa applicants, including children, must be registered for a TNT pick-up location. You must provide the passport number, date of birth, nationality, e-mail address and visa category **for each applicant** (principal applicant and all family members, including children) to complete the registration process.

During the registration process you must select one of two options for receiving your visa:

- Premium Delivery: If you select this option, we will send your passport to your home or office via TNT courier. There is an additional fee for this service, which is paid directly to TNT on delivery. <u>Please note this fee applies to each passport delivered.</u>
- TNT Pick-up: You may pick up your passport at the TNT pick-up location of your choice. There is no additional charge for this service.

Once registered, you will receive a confirmation letter which you must print out and bring with you to the appointment. Please register **before** you come to the Embassy, otherwise your appointment will be rescheduled.

All immigrant visa applicants, regardless of age, must appear in person for their interview.

Please note that for the visa cases of spouses of U.S. citizens or Lawful Permanent Residents (LPR), the consular section will ask for proof of relationship between the petitioner and spouse, which can include correspondence, printed e-mails, phone bills, pictures, proof of time spent together, plane tickets, hotel reservations, copies of the passport pages proving the U.S. citizen or LPR petitioner traveled to the country of the beneficiary, receipts if the petitioner mailed any money to the beneficiary, etc.

SECURITY INSTRUCTIONS

Applicants are not permitted to bring weapons, large pieces of luggage, cell phones, cameras, or any type of electronic or recording device onto the grounds of the U.S. Embassy. Food and beverages are also not permitted. Applicants may check cell phones and electronic devices with the security guards at the consular entrance.